## State of Hawaii DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES Engineering Division

November 8, 2013

Board of Land and Natural Resources State of Hawaii Honolulu, Hawaii

## Appointment of Sumner Erdman to Serve as a Director of the Central Maui Soil and Water Conservation District

Under Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapter 180, the governance of each Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) is placed in the hands of five directors, two of whom are appointed by the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) at the recommendation of the District and three of whom are elected by the land occupiers of the District. Where directors are elected, the Board must certify the election. Directors serve for a term of three (3) years.

The following individual has been duly recommended for appointment to serve as a director of the Central Maui SWCD to fulfill the unexpired term of Jimmy Gomes ending June 30, 2015:

<u>Name</u>

Title/Organization or Occupation

Sumner Erdman

President, Ulupalakua Ranch, Inc.

The documentation submitted by the district to support the election and recommend the appointment is filed in the Engineering Division office.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board appoint Sumner Erdman to serve as a director of the Central Maui Soil and Water Conservation District for the terms specified.

Respectfully submitted,

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Approved for submittal:

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WILLIAM J. AILA, JR., Chairperson Board of Land and Natural Resources